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ing, when inspection took place. One

friends in his private yacht and suc

"No, sir; I won't leave. I am an Amer

flooring. Handing it to the incensed

American citizen, be replied: "There's

about what you own, and there's the ladder. Now git!" And he got.

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view t Old Lady-No. I wasn't consult

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in the spring my wife and I were taken

pains that we called a physician who

each of us a dose and we at once felt

remedy and should be found in every

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around the corner. He came down with his bag packed ready to go. "Sor-

from the police, and that will take :

exactly the same procedure as if you

were leaving the country."-World's

A. Startling Test.

violent hemorrhages, caused by where

Forgot His Own Tongue

A traveler in arctic Siberia, Mr. Van-

lerlip, a gold hunter, told the follow-

ing of his return to civilization: "I

found that half a dozen of the officers

and men of the steamer which my em-

unt me up. The captain dismounted,

ployers had sent for me had come to

and I tried to address him in Russian.

but he said, 'You forget that I speak

English.' Now, it may seem scarcely

few moments I was totally unable to

credible, and yet it is true, that for a

tonverse with him in my native tongue I had not used a word of it in conver-

sation for mouths, and my low physic

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tending to make the full journey, cost-

ing 3 pence, but only took a penny

ticket and renewed it twice at the end

reased vitality follow its use.

straight English again."

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An American wished to move from

ed. I was born here

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off Genoa.

THE WAY THE SQUARES OF METAL ford type, he was lying in the harbor Visitors were allowed on ARE WORKED UNDER THE HAMMER. board at all times, except Sunday morn

Gradually Reduced In Thickness U Sunday a well known American miltil the Sheets Are Transparent and lionaire steamed out with a party of ceeded in getting on deck, where he

was met by Captain Dewey, who asked dow of a large F street establishment and finally, exasperated by the cool firmness of the officer, he burst out: ters he had made with a stencil. The curiosity of a reporter was aroused as ican citizen and have a perfect right to how these tiny sheets of gold were on this vessel. I pay taxes in Amerireduced to such minute thinness. A ca. I am on my own property. Part of this ship belongs to me!" Calmiy visit to the establishment of one of Washington's largest sign writers and Dewey opened his penknife, stooped down and split off a piece of the deck a talk with the proprietor brought forth the following

"I learned the gold beater's trade in Rochester some years ago. Imagine a slab of gold measuring eight inches in width, ten inches in length and half an inch in thickness being reduced to 3,520 sheets of gold, each five inches "My mother has been a sufferer for square and almost transparent, and nany years with rheumatism," says W. you get a vague idea of the queer in-H. Howard, of Husband, Pa. "At times dustry known as gold beating.

she was unable to move at all, while "Imagine a square of gold three-hunat all times walking was painful. I dredths of an inch in thickness, and presented her with a bottle of Chamyou will appreciate the brawn and brain making for the realt, and then perlain's Pain Balm and after a few reflect that the word 'beating' means applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever the strength of a man's arm is used in just 'beating'-for no power other than tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. mentally initiated into the mysteries An occasional application of Pain Balm of a silent art.

"Few persons are familiar with the

keeps away the pain that she was forwork for several reasons: First, there merly troubled with." For sale by are less than twenty-five gold beating establishments in the country; second. it is an exclusive industry, and few, elther manufacturers or laborers, are admitted to its secrets, and, third, the trade is limited. Therefore it is a most interesting study.

"The gold beater buys direct from the government assay office, where the gold is weighed, stamped and guaranteed. A fraction too much of alloy would cause it to pulverize or part into fragments. Twenty-three carat gold is used exclusively. Usually the gold comes in nuggets weighing fifty-five pennyweights and valued at \$55 each. is placed in a crucible and made ready for the beating about to follow. It is with diarrhoea and so severe were the

"After the gold has been received it molded into a shape which will fit into the only power machine in the place. which compresses the gold into a ribprescribed for us, but his medicines fail- bon ten yards in length, one inch in ed to give any relief. A friend who had width and one thirty-second inch in a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera thickness. Out of this ribbon are cut and Diarrhoea Remedy on hand gave 220 squares of equal size.

"The work of reducing is begun. To the effects. I procured a bottle and each workman is given twenty-five the effects. I procured a bottle and before using the entire contents we the leaves of a book. This book is a were entirely cured. It is a wonderful kutch paper and is sealed with a patent envelope device which prevents the household. H. C. Bailey, editor. This loss of particles of gold, a precaution made necessary by the many turnings and floppings of the book in the process. A sixteen pound hammer is used, and the beater is compelled to work uninterruptedly for twenty minutes to gain the desired measurement.

the Hotel Europe, the principal hotel in St. Petersburg, to a smaller hotel "Wielding a sixteen pound hammer for a few seconds only is exhausting work for the uninitiated, but the beatry," said the manager, "but you can-not leave this hotel or register at aners hammer away as if it was boys play. They must grasp the end of the other hotel until we get your passport hammer farthest from the head, which increases its weight, but the benches day and a night. You must go through they use are so constructed that they cause a small rebound of the hammer "When the 'kutch' book is opened twenty-five sheets are taken out, and each sheet of gold is cut into four pieces. Its thickness has been reduc-To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of ed in the operation from one thirty-No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling second of an inch to one one-hundredth of an inch. Twenty-five of these test resulting in a wonderful cure. He test resulting in a wonderful cure. He squares are put into a book called the writes, "a patient was attacked with shodder." The 'shodder' is not a paper, but a skin, and it is said that certion of the stomach. I had often found tain intestinal parts of 500 oxen are Electric Bitters excellent for acute required to make a package or book stomach and liver troubles so I pre- of twenty-five papers. The 'shodder' scribed them. Thepatient gained from is made in England by a secret proc he first, and has not had an attack in ess. It is the most exclusive industry

14 months." Electric Bitters are posi- in the world, "Like the 'kutch' book, the 'shoder' of bath, plenty of air and good light tively guaranteed for dyspepsia, indi-313 E. Clark street, Glen Elk. m10-lm gestion, constipation and kidney trouist, who is required to pound it ninety bles. Try them. Only 50c, at Frank minutes with a twelve pound hammer. This reduces the thickness, and when it is taken out of the book each leaf of gold is again cut into one inch squares. This time the gold is so fragile that a metal knife blade, no matter how sharp, would break the edges; so a knife with double blades is used, requiring only two strokes to cut a square.

"Now comes the last beating. Each square is again put into a book called 'mold.' Forty infinites' beating is required to give this the proper size. When the leaves of gold are removed they are transparent, but perfect in shape and unbroken. It would require 300,000 of them to make one inch in thickness.

"The last operation is to send them fused m, mind, and I spoke a jumble of English, Russian and Korak, It to the booking room, where women remove the gold leaves and place them in wax paper books ready for sale. The leaves are so delicate that they can be handled only with bambe sticks. So adhesive is the gold that if t leaf is broken in removing it is eas-Dyspepsia Cure to their friends and ily patched without a trace of it being apparent to the maked eye."-Washingustomers. Indigestion causes more ill ton Star.

Story of a Widow's Mite.

of disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure di-Here's a "widow's mite" story. A widow in West Bromwich, England. obtained a farthing in a breach of promise action she brought against a faithless sweetheart. She put it in the Kodol is not only a perfect digestant window of her tobacco shop with a printed warning to trusting women to beware of "Mizpah" rings, and invit ing men to come and buy "breach of promise cigars" and "widow's mite cignrettes." The result was such a big business that the police had to stand by to keep the pavement clear, while nineteen men, mostly widowers, carre and offered themselves in marriage.

> Pinches All Round. She-My new gown is just lovely It's a perfect fit. He-Satisfied on that point, eh? She-Yes. I know it's s good fit because it pinches me so He-Well, it doesn't pinch you half as much as it does my pocketbook,-Pbil adelphia Press.

Shrove Tuesday weddings in Ireland are exceedingly common, and sometimes among the peasantry they are celebrated in strange circumstances. There is a story of a young pensant girl being aroused out of bed on the night of Shrove Tuesday to be married before midnight to a well to de Irish-Australasian whom she had nevparents, who made the match. It turned out a happy marriage. The young people usually take the matter philosophically, believing that their parents know best how to make them happy. This anecdote is told of a Tip perary girl: "Biddy," asked her friend, "are ye goin' off this Shraff?" "Musha, I don't know that," said Biddy, "but they're sittin' on me upstairs"-meaning that matchmaking was in progress. Another story relates to a number of weddings taking place in a Munster church on Shrove Tuesday. "An' where's yer intended, Joe?" one swain was asked. "Begob, Mick, I couldn't among the feathers and ribbons in the front row of sates." He learned who she was when the names were called

If You Have Dyspepsia, Read This. The old way of taking pepsin, bis nuth, etc, to cure dyspepsia is all wrong. They may be put up in tablets or in liquid, the result is just the same. The object is to create artifical digestion, but this does not make a cure. Stop taking the pepsin, etc., and you have your dyspepsia or indigestion back again and sick headache, it does not cure, stop taking the drugs and the pain and distress return. The only common sense method is to drive out of the system the cause of dyspepsia and sick headache, by cleansing the stomach and bowels, at the same time using a medicine that will act on the liver. This forces through the glands of the stomach the digestive fluid that nature in tended. In this way you cure dyspepsia. The medicine that cures dyspepsis by this method is called Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills. Druggists sell these pills at 25c per box. It only takes one pill for a dose. Sold by Stone & Mer-

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